

# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: Appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

PATENT  
APPLICATION

In re PATENT APPLICATION of

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Group Art Unit: 1655  
Examiner.: B. Sisson  
Atty. Dkt. P 0275805  
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Filed: September 7, 1999

Title: Z-Chromosomal Markers Derived from Chicken (Gallus Domesticus) and Use Thereof in Chromosomal Mapping

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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1. ☒ **NOTICE OF APPEAL:** Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision (not Advisory Action) dated April 24, 2001 of the Examiner twice/finally rejecting claim(s) in this application or in this application and its parent application.
2. ☐ **BRIEF** on appeal in this application attached in triplicate (extendable up to 5 months).
3. ☐ An **ORAL HEARING** is respectfully requested under Rule 194 (due two months after Examiner's Answer- unextendable).
4. ☐ Reply Brief is attached in triplicate (due two months after Examiner's Answer - unextendable).
5. ☒ "Small entity" statement filed: ☐ herewith. ☒ previously.
6. ☐ Fee NOT required if/since paid in prior appeal in which the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences did not render a decision on the merits (35 USC 134).

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